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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS,

SIR:

In response to the Final Office action mailed November 19, 2003, applicant requests reconsideration of the rejections based upon the remarks that begin at page 2 of this paper.